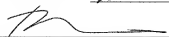


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Applicant requests that the period for response be extended one month through and including April 13, 2008, the fees for which have been paid at the time this Amendment was filed.

In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: